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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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INVENTION: A METHOD FOR DETERMINING A NETWORK ACCESS
ADDRESS

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Sir:

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Please amend the above-identified International Application before entry
into the National stage before the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office under 35 U.S.C.
§371 as follows:

In The Specification:

On page 1, cancel lines 1-3 and substitute the following therefor:

--SPECIFICATION**TITLE****A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PAYING FOR GOODS OR SERVICES****BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION****Field of the Invention**

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The present invention relates to a method for determining a network
access address for transmitting messages from a switching system to a
communication terminal which is connected to the switching system via a
communication network.--